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NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—In the issue of the Candelaria True Fissure of last Saturday, J. M. Dormer, its former proprietor, has the following self-explanatory card to the public:

With this issue the True Fissure ceases to exist, the presses, type and material having been sold to a publishing company. The plant will be removed to Hawthorne, where a weekly newspaper will be established under the name of The Esmeralda News. The new paper will appear on Saturday, January 1, 1887. The proprietor takes this occasion to thank the many patrons of the True Fissure for the support they gave it during the past six and a half years, and earnestly requests a continuance of the same for the new venture.

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Dec 8 1w W. N. KNOX.

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A. C. McFARLIN
Reno, Oct 26, 1886 - 1m

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dec 9th

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all whom it may concern that the Delinquent List of the State county and local taxes for the year 1886 where the delinquent tax (exclusive of poll taxes and penalties) exceeds the sum of three hundred dollars, has this day been deposited with the Clerk of the County of Washoe, Nevada, and that unless the delinquent taxes therein specified are paid to the County Treasurer as provided by law, within 30 days from the publication of this notice, action will be commenced by the District Attorney for collection of said taxes and costs.

JOHN B. WILLIAMS,
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Reno, December 1, 1886.

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GEO. JENNINGS
RENO NOV 18, 1886

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THE TARIFF PROBLEM.

Cleveland's Message Reviewed by Robert P. Porter.

CHICAGO, December 8.—The Inter-Ocean's Washington special of December 7th says: Robert P. Porter, the tariff writer, speaking of the tariff recommendations of the President's message, says: "Can any one believe in the sincerity or convictions of a man who, recognizing that the farmers of the country are being sorely pressed in the markets of the world with the products they raise to export, calmly recommends that one product for which they have a profitable home market be swept into the free list and thus be supplanted to a large extent by the products of countries which are sorely pressing them in other commodities. And, turning from the farmers to workmen, is it possible to believe a man honest who dilates on the hardships of those who toil for daily wages, and deliberately ignores the appeals those laboring men made last Winter before the Ways and Means Committee against the Morrison bill, and emphasized at the polls in the recent election."

The difference between the President and the Secretary of the Treasury is simply this: The President is with the free traders and does not dare to say so, while the Secretary of the Treasury has come out openly for free trade and does not care who knows it. It is futile to attempt to analyze what President Cleveland says on the subject. It is a mere stringing together of words to break the force of the real measure to be pushed through by the Democratic majority. It is nothing. It resembles the man who wrote it as much as a child ever resembled its parent. To talk of sweeping American industries into the free list, to hand them over to foreign countries, and at the same time not to reduce the wages of American labor, is the talk of a fool, not of a statesman. It is simply impossible. And yet that is what the President of the United States would have people believe. To talk of taking American industries from the dutiable schedule of the tariff and place them on the free list without a disastrous shock to any interest is a proposition that may come within the orbit of Mr. Cleveland's intellect; but it is far too extraordinary for an ordinary mind to grasp. Every line of the message in relation to the tariff is a tissue of humbuggery. That is the best that can be said of it."

The Irish Vote.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7th.—It is learned from one of the best informed Irishmen in this city, who is also high in the national councils of our Irish-American citizens, that the National League, the Hibernians, the Foresters, the Fenians, and the score or more of Irish and Irish-American organizations in this country are holding private meetings now and have been holding private meetings for some time past in every city and county from Maine to California and from the Canadian border to the Gulf, with the object of coming to some common understanding in regard to some concerted and effective action in the next Presidential election. The Irish hate Cleveland. They bolted him in 1884, and had it not been for Baruch's blunder, which was more hateful to them still, Cleveland would have received practically no Irish votes at that time. They hate him now more than ever before. They feel, rightly or wrongly, that he has not given them fair play, and the result is a proposed combination against him. From what is learned, the proposition that is likely to prevail is a united Irish vote for Blaine, or any Republican, against Cleveland, should he be renominated. Should David B. Hill, of New York, be nominated by the Democrats, the Irish will vote by party, as hitherto, and the votes would consequently be cast mainly for the Democratic candidate.

E. W. Crutcher is feeding about 300 head of cattle and 800 sheep on his ranch in Humboldt county.

ARTESIAN WELLS.

What They are—The Conditions Necessary for Their Outflow—Benefits to the State—Etc.

Silver State.

A company is about to be organized in Winnemucca for boring artesian wells, expecting that the citizens of Nevada, and especially of Humboldt county, are willing to take shares enough to furnish the necessary amount of capital. The following will give some idea as to the possibility of finding artesian veins, and the probable benefit a shareholder may expect by his investment:

WHAT IS AN ARTESIAN WELL.

An artesian vein requires a pervious stratum through which water can readily pass, under and above which the existence of a water tight layer is necessary, which securely embraces the porous stratum. Continue these layers in one direction to an elevated region, where the porous bed can find a sufficient supply of water, pitch it down on the other to a considerable depth, tap this water-bearing bed at some point lower than the outcrop or fountain-head, and the water will flow out of the bore to a level with the head, allowing for friction and air pressure.

FORMATION OF THE ARTESIAN VEIN.

The water finds its way through the strata by two methods: In close textured rocks it passes through fissures formed by fracture, or tubular channels, formed by solution; in open textured rocks it keeps through pores, permeating the whole bed. These close textured rocks belong chiefly to the crystalline class, such as granites and greenstones, and the limestones. Our mines show how far we are justified to hunt for water in that class of rocks. The open textured rocks constitute continuous water-filled sheets, underspreading wide areas, and almost certain to give artesian water at the proper depths. To this class belong beds of sand, gravel, sandstone, conglomerate and other rocks of loose granular texture. Both formations are extensively found in this State.

CONFINING BEDS.

Of the confining impervious beds, the upper one is of the greatest importance. Suppose the lower one were leaky, the consequence would be that the water would run through it till it comes to an impervious layer; but if the upper one should be penetrable, the water, under pressure from the fountain-head, would escape, relieve the pressure, and prevent the outflow. The best impervious stratum is formed by a thick layer of fine unhardened clay; next come strata of clayey shales, silty lime and sandstones; and last, but not least, water itself. As the surface water rises and falls with the land surface, the former will press just as much down as the artesian will up, and extending generally higher than the artesian vein, will even add to the supply of the vein.

SUPPLY BY RAIN AND SNOW.

There is without doubt an immense quantity of subterranean water in this State, derived from some yet unknown source. But not knowing how far this will support the flow of an artesian well we have to take into consideration the annual rainfall of 10 inches, which would give about 224,000 gallons capacity per day would therefore drain one acre of ground in one day, if the rainfall were only one inch. But as the fountain-head is always on that elevated region, where the fall of rain and snow is considerably heavier than in the flats, we can surely say that we can draw on a 15-inch supply, of which of course only the smaller part enters the ground and the artesian vein. As long as snow and rain is falling, the vein draws directly upon it as an open reservoir, say for seven months in the year and will for the remaining 150 days have to depend on the water in the porous bed. It is evident that the annual rainfall is more than sufficient for our purpose. Our valleys are always formed by two parallel chains of mountains, which give the porous sheet the form of a basin, and by tapping it on the lowest point, we draw from two fountain-heads, and procure double flow and height.

BENEFIT TO THE STATE.

A very small rainfall in seasonable times and utilized to the best advantage, will suffice to make this country an agricultural State. The porous stratum acts as equalizing reservoir. The surplus of wet months is distributed over the dry. The water, of so little use in the mountains, is transferred to better lands; reservoirs may be filled in the dead season; dry areas will become productive; thousands of acres may be reclaimed; the climate will change in time; the population will increase, and the dying State will prosper again.

WHAT PEOPLE THINK.

Some people think there certainly are plenty of underground veins, but they all discharge through a tunnel into the Pacific Ocean. This would not prevent the flow of an artesian well, as the water below the tapping point is of no consequence as long as the fountain-head is higher than the point of outflow. Others say the evaporation is so great that no water enters the ground. The artesian vein drawn from elevated regions, and in our deep, shady canyons the evaporation is not greater than anywhere else. A creek, full of water way up in the canyon and almost empty at the mouth, does not evaporate; it sinks into the

ground, as every farmer knows that is dependent on its waters. Wherever water sinks in that way, there is the very head of an artesian vein on a small scale, and the amount and height of outflow can almost with certainty be predicted.

EXISTING WELLS.

Artesian wells can be found already all over the State. Carson has several, and Battle Mountain is supplied by them alone. Even nature shows mankind plainly the possibility to convert our arid tracts into green pastures. In the midst of the great desert south of Jackson district, is a ridge 100 feet high, 12 miles from the nearest mountain chain. On the very top of it are perennial running springs, brought to flow doubtless by a higher fountain-head in the distant mountains. The headwaters of the Humboldt, the famous seven springs near Humboldt Wells, 6,500 feet above sea level, are nothing but natural artesian wells. Numerous similar cases prove the existence of artesian veins in this State.

The conditions for boring artesian wells in Nevada are certainly most favorable, and although our knowledge of the geological formation of our valleys is only small, there is little doubt that the Company will meet with great success. It gives the public an excellent opportunity to invest their money with small risk and immense profit in case of success. The high social standing of the elected officers leaves no doubt about the sound foundation of the enterprise, and whoever supports them will become a public benefactor.

A. DORAN, Civil Engineer.

Strike of Railroad Employees.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 8.—A tie up took place on the Sutter street railroad this morning, and no cars are now running. The strike was caused by the refusal of the company to comply with the demands of its employees, asking that engineers, drivers and conductors shall receive \$2 50 a day, and that 12 hours shall constitute a day's work. At present this class of employees are only receiving \$2 25 for a day of thirteen and a half hours.

Another demand is made that hostlers shall receive \$60 a month instead of \$50, as at present. About 200 men went out, comprising conductors and gripmen of the cable cars, conductors and drivers on the horse cars on the Polk street branch and the hostlers and firemen in the engine-room.

The car-lines tied up include the Sutter and Larkin-street cable lines and the Polk-street horse-car extension of the latter line.

General Sheridan has issued a notice that the Society of the Army of the Cumberland will hold its eighteenth reunion in Washington on the 11th and 12th of May, 1887, on which occasion the statue in memory of General James A. Garfield will be unveiled.

Grass, of Texas, introduced a joint resolution in the House proposing to amend the Constitution so as to change the date of the meeting of Congress to the second Tuesday in January.

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES,

For the State Insane Asylum at Reno, Nevada.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR the Care of the Indigent Insane of Nevada, will receive sealed proposals for furnishing supplies to carry on the Insane Asylum at Reno, Nevada, up to December 21 1886, for six months from January 1st, 1887, to July 1st, 1887.

All persons desiring to make proposals for furnishing supplies, or any part thereof, will, upon application to the Secretary of the Board, at Carson City, Nevada, be furnished with a full statement of all supplies required and all necessary particulars pertaining thereto. Yours Truly, G. W. RICHARDS, Sec'y Bd Com. for Care of Insane. dec10-2w

DANCING SCHOOL.

POLLARD & UPSON will open their Dancing School in Reno at the NEVADA THEATRE, on Saturday, December 11, 1886.

Dancing Class on every Wednesday evening.

Soirees every Saturday night.

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle. feb. 21-awf-1v.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PUBLIC.—The Palace Bakery folks do make their candy, and do not import cheap adulterated goods. We commenced candy making 18 months ago, and said then as now, that we don't give up what we once undertake to do. Our candy trade has increased 25 per cent. since, for which we feel thankful to the public. We do not only make candy once a week, but every day in the week, and we will be pleased to show our shop to any one. Our place shall be known after this as the Nevada Cracker and Candy Factory. We sell candy wholesale and retail. Leave your money in Reno, don't send elsewhere. Respectfully, O. HARTONO.

FOR SALE.—Mrs. M. J. McGrath desires to sell her ranch near Mill Station, lower end of Washoe Valley. Also all household goods, seventy-five stands of bees, three milch cows, wagons, etc. Everything will be sold at a very reasonable rate.

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At the Lowest Prices Possible!

Consistent with New Goods and First-class Work.

BREVITIES.

N. Boone left for Truckee on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Stevenson was very much better yesterday.

"East Lynne" at the Nevada Theater this evening, by the University students.

Mr. J. J. Spears arrived here on Wednesday's stage and left on a visit to the Eastern States.

W. H. Barnes, President of the Pacific Coast Press Association, went to Carson yesterday morning.

The students of Mount St. Mary's Academy are to give an entertainment on the evening of the 15th.

Mr. Joe Allenwood and wife, of Cedarville, went to Marysville last Wednesday to spend the winter.

Messrs. Monroe & Harlan came in from Desert yesterday with a load of ore from the Birds-nest mine. It was taken to the Reduction Works.

Carson Index: Washoe county has \$78,561 in its Treasury. The monthly bills allowed by the Commissioners would impoverish an ordinary community.

Judge Thomas P. Hawley and family returned Wednesday evening from Florida, bringing with them the remains of their daughter who died there a few months since.

C. S. Young, Superintendent of Public Instruction, is making his annual tour of the State. He went to Elko Tuesday and will visit Tuscarora, Eureka and Austin before he returns.

It is reported that a fine gold gravel bed has been discovered on the banks of West Walker river above Antelope Valley. Indications of such a find have long presented themselves in that locality.

James Brutley, who was thrown from his sulkey about four miles below town last Tuesday evening, is lying very ill from the effects of his fall, being more seriously hurt than was at first supposed.

The flower-loving people of San Francisco are just now interested in a holy ghost flower, which has been in bloom in that city for a week past in the Park Conservatory. The flower is about two inches in diameter and is cup-shaped. A beautiful white dove nestles in the shadows of the curling leaves, with extended wings. The body and head are exquisitely modeled.

"East Lynne" this evening at the Nevada Theater should draw out a large number of our people, as it is a pleasing play and one that requires no little talent to render it well. The University students who have undertaken it have worked hard and under the instruction of Prof. McCammon will undoubtedly give a performance worthy of older and more experienced actors.

ADDITIONAL MINING STATEMENTS.—The following additional mining companies report having had cash on hand December 1, 1886: Alta \$25,669 14, Andes \$9,351 65, Belcher \$2,237 47, Booker Consolidated \$1,571 15, Benton Consolidated \$7,142 85, Challenge \$3,315 87, Consolidated Imperial \$5,499, Julia Consolidated \$97 33, Martin White \$3,331 67, Manhattan \$16,839. The assessments on mining stocks which will fall delinquent in office during the present month amount to \$248,900, of which the Nevada mines call for \$170,400, California \$41,500, Arizona \$30,000, and Mexico \$7,000.

GRAND PRIZE SOCIAL.—Mrs. Alt will hold her social at Armory Hall on Saturday evening, at which two very nice prizes will be awarded; one to the best young lady dancer and one to the best young gentleman dancer. There will be five pieces of music for this occasion, and the party will be under the management of four popular young lady floor managers. A new dance will be introduced and a good time for all for 50 cents.

A DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION.—Odd Fellows' hall, over the Congregational Church, Wednesday evening, was the scene of one of the merriest parties that ever congregated in Reno. The occasion being a reception given by the ladies of the Relief Corps to the Grand Army Post.

Very beautiful indeed was the appearance of the hall. The appropriate decorations of the red, white and blue revealed the artistic taste of the ladies. The elegant silk flags which several of the ladies made last Summer draped the walls gracefully in the rear of the President's chair. At the appointed hour the Post in a body, guided by Mrs. Arrowsmith, Conductress of the Corps, filed into the main hall to march music, where they were received by the President, Mrs. Jaques, in a few words and song of welcome by the ladies, after which an informal reception took place, followed by a very interesting programme including a "Silent Dance," in masquerade by eight of the ladies, and which created a great deal of amusement. Later on all were seated at tables that filled the hall, and which were supplied with one of the most elegant lunches, with hot tea and coffee. Dancing was next in order, and to the sweet strains of music from Prof. Harper's violin, accompanied by Mr. Nate Koff at the organ, "all went merry as a marriage bell." The G. A. R. boys, in particular, felt it good to be there, and it will ever be remembered as one of the bright spots in life which the sad memories of war times cannot efface, without which there would have been no occasion for the happy re-union last evening.

A BRAKEMAN INJURED.—About 3 p. m. Tuesday S. P. Milliken, a brakeman on freight train No. 7, met with an accident that is likely to prove fatal. As the train that left Sacramento for the East was about to enter a piece of new shed between the Summit and Truckee, Milliken was walking on the top of an Eastern refrigerator car, going toward caboose. He did not notice the train was so near the shed. Some one called to him to look out, but almost simultaneously a beam of the shed struck him on the head, knocking him down between the car and caboose. The latter run over his left leg and ankle, grinding it to a pulp. His scalp was badly cut and it is feared that his skull is fractured. The thumb and forefinger of the left hand is broken, and he is otherwise injured. He was picked up unconscious and taken to Truckee, and shortly afterwards put on a special train and taken to the Railroad Hospital at Sacramento. His leg was amputated immediately below the knee. There are indications of compression of the brain. He has been on the road many years, and has the friendship of a large circle of acquaintances. His wife is sister to Mrs. Creed Raymond.

NEVADA'S PRODUCTION.—In the report of James P. Kimball, Director of the Mint, just received in book form, three estimates appear of the production of gold and silver in Nevada during 1885.

The first is that of Wells, Fargo & Co., estimated by John J. Valentine, and is as follows:

Gold dust and bullion, by express.....\$1,253,355
Silver bullion, by express..... 6,575,430
Ores and base bullion, by freight..... 1,384,366
Total.....\$9,213,151

The second estimate is by Superintendent Garrard, of the Carson Mint:

Gold.....\$3,083,800
Silver..... 6,229,311
Total.....\$9,313,111

The third is the production as reported to the State Controller, and foots up \$6,366,781 16.

Mr. Garrard says that his estimate is only an approximation, and is more likely to be below than above the actual product.

NOTICE.—A regular meeting of the Uniform Rank, K. of P., of Reno, will be held at Armory Hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Sunday next, the 12th inst. Business of great importance will be transacted, and a full attendance is therefore ordered. Full dress—Fatigue caps.
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[Gazette copy.]

GOLD, SILVER AND DIAMONDS.—Richard Herz, the jeweler, has just received a large and choice consignment of wares in his line, especially for the holidays, embracing many beautiful designs in watches, both gold and silver; also chains of infinite variety for ladies and gents. A fine assortment of gold and diamond jewelry, including rings, pins, bracelets, charms and brooches in every variety of tasteful forms—just the thing for holiday presents, and prices within the reach of everybody. His new stock of silverware is the handsomest ever brought here, notwithstanding which, the prices are lower than ever before. Aside from the above mentioned, the stock of clocks is the largest and finest yet offered. The fact is, the establishment is in holiday attire, presenting a beauty of display well worth a visit to see—and the advantage of dealing with a well established house is, that every article sold is guaranteed to be exactly what it is represented. You will get nothing but No. 1 goods at Herz's, and the prices asked will not be above their real value. Engraving of all kind also done on the shortest notice and in the most workmanlike manner.

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